

As required by Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7012(b), the Smothermans hereby state within this responsive pleading that they do not consent to entry of final orders or judgment by the Bankruptcy Court.

The Smothermans further support the Motion with the memorandum of law filed contemporaneously herewith and incorporated herein by reference.

Respectfully Submitted,

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